Study Abroad Scholarship Application for Fall 2014

Deadline: Monday, March 3, 4:00pm to Center for International Programs

In awarding all scholarships the Study Abroad Selection Committee considers:

- Little or no previous experience abroad (Study Abroad Semester/Year)
- SMC, Exchange or Lasallian study abroad programs
- Rationale for choosing the study abroad program
- Demonstrated Financial need, including Pell Grant Eligibility
- High academic achievement, including a minimum 3.0 GPA

Please Print or Type:

Name: ____________________________________________________________________________

E-mail: ___________________________________________________________________________

Telephone Number: ____________________________ Cell: ________________________________

Major(s): ___________________________________ Minor(s): _____________________________

Study Abroad Location: _______________________________________________________________

Have you Studied Abroad before? [ ] Yes [ ] No

If yes, Where? __________________________________________ When? ______________________

Application submission instructions:
Submit your Statement of Purpose and this completed application to the Center for International Programs on the first floor of Brother Jerome West on or before Monday, March 3 (4 p.m.). Late applications WILL NOT be considered.

Statement of Purpose Instructions: submit a 1-2 page typed essay that describes how studying abroad will enhance your Saint Mary’s College educational experience and specifically how this scholarship will support your ability to study abroad for a semester or academic year. In the essay make sure you explain the rationale of why you applied to your particular study abroad program/destination. Furthermore, demonstrate you have researched the host institution, country and culture. Your name, local telephone number and email address should appear on each page of your statement of purpose.

Your signature serves as your approval to the SMC Financial Aid Office and Registrar’s Office for the necessary information to qualify your application and authorize use of the data by the Study Abroad scholarship selection Committee.

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Applicant’s Signature Date